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THE CHARLEROI MAIL

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MAKING PLANS TO REGISTER AND ASSESS WOMEN IN COUNTY

To Be Registered At Regular Polling Places, Aug. 31 and Sept. 1

POLL TAX WILL BE 75 CENTS

The unsettled conditions in Tennessee in regard to woman suffrage makes uncertain what steps to take in the matter of registering and assessing the women for possible voting in November. At the office of the Washington county commissioners it was stated on Saturday afternoon that there was nothing in the present situation that would warrant the registration of women by means of a house-to-house visit on the part of registry assessors. The holding up of the certificate from Nashville to Washington, even granting that it might be eventually forwarded, so reduces the time limit as to make impossible this method of registration.

However, it is believed that the registry assessors will be instructed to register and assess all women of proper age who may present themselves at the polling places of the different election districts on August 31 and September 1. On these days the registry assessors are required to be at the polling places. The additional registration books necessary to enroll the women as voters are in the hands of the county commissioners and they will, no doubt, be sent to the proper officers of the various precincts, with instructions to register and assess the women who may appear at the voting places on the two days above mentioned. By taking advantage of this opportunity of having their names upon the voting lists the women will be prepared in event of its being determined after September 1 that the action of the Tennessee legislature was legal and that they are rightfully entitled to vote. They will thus be registered and assessed the required 60 days before election. If the ratification by the Nashville body is finally set aside the action of the women in registering will thus be nullified.

Each woman who registers will be assessed with an occupation tax, based presumably upon the minimum valuation of $100, thus making the tax amount this year to be 75 cents. It may be that arrangements will be made whereby the registry assessors can be deputized to receive this tax and issue treasurer's receipts therefor at the time of registering the women, thus making it possible for all women who register to complete the necessary transactions at one time.

EX-Soldiers Take Notice.

All returned soldiers are cordially invited to take part in the Labor Day parade. September 6. Parade will form at Second street and Washington avenue, at 10 o'clock, slow time. All soldiers wishing to take apart, please leave names with committee, Mr. Orr, Bufke or W. S. Zimmerman, chairman; 526 Washington avenue, Charleroi. 67-t1-*

SHOOT GAS WELL AND IT PRODUCES OIL

The Philadelphia Gas Company well on the James Myekel farm, Washington township, Green county, which has been producing gas since 1917, has become an oil producer. The gas output having decreased, it was decided to "shoot" the well. The hole began to fill with oil and is now yielding 30 barrels a day, in addition to producing the usual amount of gas.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MONESSEN MERCHANT

William Frantz, one of the leading citizens and business men of Monessen, died suddenly at the Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh, Sunday morning shortly after 7 o'clock. His death came as a great shock to his friends and associates, as it was believed at the time that he was on the way to recovery.

Mr. Frantz went to the hospital on the 11th of August for an examination and diagnosis, and among other treatments had eleven teeth extracted on recommendation of his physician. He had arranged to leave the hospital on Tuesday morning, and go with his wife and son to Cambridge Springs for a stay.

Sunday morning when the nurse entered his room she found him sitting up in bed. After taking his pulse and finding that his condition was apparently very satisfactory she left the room. A half hour later she returned, only to find him dead.

The deceased is survived by his widow, one son William, his father, now a resident of Florida, two brothers, Robert of Pittsburgh, and Edward of Monongahela, and one sister, Mrs. Jennie Gruber of McKeesport. Funeral services will be held from the First Presbyterian church in Monessen, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, interment in McKeesport cemetery.

Mr. Frantz' partner, J. K. Boyd, died on the 15th of last December, whose interest in the business he purchased later from Mr. Boyd's widow.

Mr. Frantz was connected with the Masonic bodies, was a member of the Eastern Star and the White Shrine, and was also a Past Exalted Ruler of the Monessen Elks.

MACHINE MAN MAY LOSE BOTH EYES

William Cowlishaw, a machine man at the Naomi mine, met with an accident a few days ago that may cost him the sight of both eyes. He had gone into a room to carry on his work, when a belated shot let go and he got the full charge in his face. It is said that an attempt had been made to fire two shots at once, and that one had not exploded as quickly as the other. Cowlishaw was rushed to the Memorial hospital at Monongahela for treatment.

Sudden Summons Comes To Former Canadian Soldier

The great war which continued its devastating course in France and Belgium for a period of over four years, is still leaving its trail of desolation and destruction, and although actual hostilities ceased almost twenty-two months ago, the after effects of this mighty struggle are still potent to take away the lives of many of the brave young men who answer duty's call to arms.

Tragic indeed was the death of William Maxwell, a former Canadian soldier at Allenport on Saturday evening last. This young man, a resident of the Dominion at the outbreak of the war, enlisted in the expeditionary forces which were organized in the various provinces, and after a period of training went to France to take part in the great struggle on the other side. He served in the trenches for twenty-three months, during which time he was gassed three times by the Germans, each time severely. He was sent home and taken to hospitals in the west in the hope that mountain air would give him a longer lease on life. He was in British Columbia for a time and also in Colorado.

About five weeks ago he came to the home of his brother James Maxwell in Allenport, although all of the time he was under the care of a physician. Last Saturday evening in company with his brother he made ready to visit in Charleroi. About 7 o'clock they went to the station to wait for the car, when the young man was suddenly seized with a violent hemorrhage, and in a few minutes he was dead. Dr. Haines, who was his physician, was immediately summoned, but when he reached the young man he found that it was impossible to do anything for him. He had answered the last roll call. The body was taken to the home of his brother, and funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, old time, interment to follow in Mt. Tabor cemetery.

The death of the young man cast quite a gloom over the entile Allenport community, where he was well known, and all of whose residents knew of his patriotic answer to the call of duty.

FAILED TO DELIVER; ARRESTED FOR FRAUD

The steward of a social club is out $500, at least for the time being, all because of his faith in a man who promised to sell him a consignment of whisky at less than current rates.

It appears that a man named Alexander Vis, whose home is in Pittsburgh, and who is well known in the valley, called on Charles Mucko, steward of a Donora club, with a proposition to sell him a consignment of whisky. The price was very attractive, and Mucko and some of his friends agreed to take it. However, Vis demanded a deposit on the bargain, and $500 was paid over. That was about a month ago, since which time Vis had not delivered the goods. It came to the ears of Mucko a few days ago that Vis was about to leave this section of the country, when he went before a Donora justice of the peace and had a warrant sworn out for the arrest of Vis. The accused was arrested by Constable Titus last week, and a hearing in the case will be held this evening. In the meantime Mucko is still waiting for the liquor.

ATTEND SCHOOL REUNION AT WEST PIKE RUN

Among those who attended Deems School Reunion at West Pike Run Saturday, were Mr. and Mrs. Lott Winnett and son Floyd. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Frocheur, Mr. and Mrs. Bert McNatt, Mrs. Arthur Shannon, Loman Duvall, Simeon Deems, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Taylor and Mrs. Bartrum Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Price, Mrs. Della Halstead and son John have returned home after a motor trip to Washington D. C. and Gettysburg. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mitchell, Jr., of West Middlesex, Pa.

Advertise your wants in the Classified column of the Mail.

ALLEGED GAMBLING HOUSE IS RAIDED

Donora police made another raid on an alleged gambling house in that town on Thursday night last, in which the notorious John Christ is again concerned. The room where the gambling is alleged to take place is above the Liberty restaurant on McKean avenue, and has been the scene of frequent raids.

Last Thursday the police of Donora under orders of acting Chief Michael H. Ready, swooped down on the place and arrested thirteen men, including Christ. This is the second time within a month that the place has been raided, and the proprietors did not wait until given trial on the other charge before resuming operations a second time.

When the raid was made the police secured evidence of gambling in the way of money, dice, dice boxes etc., upon which to base prosecution that will be made against the owners of the Coffee house. Christ was arrested in an alley in the rear of the gambling room, having jumped from a rear window.

HEAVY SENTENCE IS GIVEN NICHIPORUK

In criminal court at Washington on Saturday last, Andre Nichiporuk, who was found guilty of murder in the second degree for the death of his wife, was sentenced by Judge McIlvaine to serve not less than 19 years and nine months nor more than twenty years in the Western Penitentiary. This is the extreme limit for crimes of that character. The case against Nichiporuk was completed list Friday evening at 6 o'clock, and the jury, after deliberating all night, returned a verdict Saturday morning of guilty or murder in the second degree.

According to a traveller returning from the Marquesas Islands, $1000 will buy ease in the tropics for life. But what a life!

SCHOOL BUILDINGS WERE RENOVATED DURING VACATION

Interiors Of Two Frescoed And All Given A Thorough Cleaning

ARE NOW CLEAN AND SANITARY

At the request of Superintendent Pollock of the Charleroi public schools, Health Officer William Darby made a thorough inspection of the local public school buildings on Saturday last, in order to ascertain their sanitary condition before the opening of the school term on the 6th of September.

During the vacation period at the suggestion of the Superintendent, the school board decided to have all of the buildings thoroughly cleaned and renovated, with additional work on the Second street and Crest avenue buildings. The school board, just before the close of the last school term, decided to have the Second street and Crest avenue buildings frescoed, in addition to the usual cleaning, and all of this work has now been completed. The janitors of the various buildings were in charge of the work, and with additional help made a thorough job of the undertaking.

The interiors of the Crest avenue and Second street buildings were all frescoed, the cellars whitewashed while all of the woodwork and the floors were thoroughly scrubbed. At the ninth street, Fifth street and [illegible] school buildings the woodwork and floors were scrubbed, the cellars whitewashed and every part of every building made clean and thoroughly sanitary. Not only the recitation and study rooms, but the cellars and toilets as well—in fact every nook and corner of the buildings has been gone over and the buildings are now in readiness for the receptions of pupils at the opening of school.

Parents of the district will appreciate this effort on the part of the school board, the superintendent and the janitors to place all of the buildings in the best shape they have been for years.

Superintendent Pollock is now preparing for opening day, and during the week it is expected that teachers from outside districts will report and secure accommodations for the fall and winter, prior to taking up their duties. Next week the tri-cities institute will be held in Monongahela, and the week following schools will be opened.

HUNTERS MUST WEAR THEIR LICENSE TAGS

The state game commission on August 27, will enforce the hunters' license law relative to the wearing of license tags by all hunters. Besides the delays in getting the 1920 tags, hunters have been permitted to display their last year's tags. The commission is now distributing 425,000 tags to the county treasurers and [illegible] are in reserve.

BUYS LOADER FOR COUNTY ROAD WORK

The county commissioners and county controller have contracted for a truck or wagon loader of the caterpillar type, to be delivered at the earliest possible date. Bids were opened at Washington on Friday last, that of the Brinker Supply Company being accepted as the lowest and best. One other bid was presented, but as it did not comply with requirements of the advertisement calling for same it was not considered.

The truck ordered is one of the same type that so attracted the attention of the county officials some weeks ago when they witnessed it in operation on road work near Wheeling. It is designed to operate in slag or "red dog," and it is believed that its acquisition by the county will enable a great deal of work to be done in the way of improving county roads that are rapidly being worn out.

The contract for the machine was signed with the understanding that proposals presented for two and for three loaders could be accepted by the commissioners, at price concessions, if the first one proved satisfactory. The loader will be delivered at Burgettstown and at once put to work in that section under the supervision of the county engineer's department. If other machines are purchased following the trial of this one, they will be sent into other sections of the county.

MANY INJURED AND KILLED ON GRADE CROSSINGS

Pennsylvania had 237 accidents at railroad grade crossings in the first six months of 1920, according to figures issued last week by the Bureau of Accidents of the Public Service Commission, 66 persons being killed and 233 injured. During the first half of last year there were 252 accidents, with 31 fatalities and 189 reported injured. In the first half of this year 106 trespassers were killed on the steam railroads against 195 in the same period last year, while there is a decrease of 32 per cent in the number of employes killed. The street railway accidents also show an increase.

I will collect that rent, positively in advance and guarantee no vacancies. Clyde B. Cope, Real Estate and Insurance, 315 McKean avenue. 21-tf*

THIS GAS COMPANY A PAYING PROPOSITION

The Turkey Hollow Oil & Gas company, financed by Monessen capital, turns out to be a very good paying proposition. During the month of July, or from the 4th to the 31 inclusive in that month, the company sold to the people's Gas company 57,744,739 cubic feet of gas, for which they received $4,347.45. The well is located in the Turkey Hollow district, a short distance below Monessen.

Use the Classified Column.

Majestic Theatre Today

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Tomorrow—Wm. Russell in "This Hero Stuff"

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A WASTE OF BREATH.

If an educated American Indian should announce a determined campaign of "America for the Indians" (or original Americans), he would be laughed at as a crack-brained waster of breath. Hardly less absurd is the demand of "Africa for the Africans" put forward by one Marcus Garvey who signs himself "president general of the Universal Negro Improvement Association." Garvey, who says he is out for the "manhood rights of his race" wherever located, predicts another world war in twenty years and says that then the negroes of Africa can and should rise, seize the whole continent, and put an end to the white man's domination.

More than a century ago and less there were great Indian chiefs who hoped and schemed to unite most of the aboriginal tribes and drive the encroaching whites out of this continent. No such dreams and no such initiative have been reported among African chiefs whose ambitions appear to be bounded by the small sections of the Dark Continent in which they live, ignorant in most cases of how big the continent is. Negro civilization is said to have remained stationary for 5000 years, the negro doing less to improve Africa than the Indian to improve America. Inevitably the white man stepped in and took charge in both cases. The whites will stay in and dominate Africa just as they did in America. It is folly to think of any other issue. An so far at least as material comfort and prosperity are concerned the blacks, like the Indians, will be better off under the white man's tutelage and rule. Even complaining American negroes become promptly aware of this the moment it is proposed to them that they go and colonize some wild district of the land of their ancestors.

WHAT IS "REACTIONARY?"

There are various definitions of "reactionary." If it be reactionary to follow the warning of Washington against foreign entanglements, if it be reactionary to stand for minimum instead of maximum government, if it be reactionary to want responsibility instead of personal government, many Americans will gladly acclaim the fact that they come within the definition. We do not believe that a thing is progressive because it is a change, or that movement is always going ahead. Freedom and liberty require careful guarding. The natural tendency of mankind is backward, not forward. A comparatively few leaders keep civilization "up." Government tends to become autocratic, bureaucratic, a pap-dispensing machine. Some things called progress today were called progress by Romans who were using them to intrench themselves in authority as Caesars. None talked more about the people's rights and extension of consideration for the masses than did the first Caesar and that great usurper Augustus. But when the Romans came to find out what all this so-called progress meant they found they were the subjects of an emperor. The Caesarism then begun because the Kaiserism which 20 centuries later we had to fight.

We look in vain through Governor Cox's speech for approbation of and allegiance to those basic democratic principles which the founders of the Government incorporated in its institutions because they had been close to the sort of government that taught them the necessity of having a different sort of government. It is time when packages marked "progress" should be examined to see if they are not in fact dynamite bombs.—Manufacturer's Record.

Belgium is living up to her treaty obligations in some small particulars, having sent back to Belgium two paintings by old masters and some manuscripts, books and maps to take the place of the burned library of Louvain. Perhaps she will also restore the skull of the Sultan of Mkwawa, as ordered, that being of little value except as a curiosity.

Remember your dead. W. S. Cook and Co. Monuments with Lawrence Frye Funeral Director. 208tf

THE "JAP" PROBLEM

Discussing the Japanese problem in California the editor of Reedy's Mirror says: 'the racial issue along the coast—for it exists from Canada to Mexico—is not without bearing upon national affairs in other ways. For example, it is back of much agitation for our intervention in Mexico. It is an article of faith in California that Mexico is almost completely under Japanese domination. It seems to me that it is most likely that in the event of the election of Mr. Harding we shall go into Mexico with a whoop and come out with all of her movables. The Southwest and the extreme Northwest art in favor of this policy."

It has been supposed that only Americans with mining or other interests in Mexico have wanted intervention and annexation, but, according to the observer quoted above, Pacific coast people want Mexico "cleaned up" in order to stop the smuggling of Jap immigrants across the line into California. On the Pacific slope the Japanese problem appears to be as acute in some respects as the negro problem has ever been in the South. Wherever two different races occupy a common territory a "problem" is inevitable. The experienced South feels sympathy for the Pacific states while the relatively inexperienced North is inclined to scoff at the anti-Jap "obsession" of the Californians. In spite of the bars put up against them the Japs are growing in numbers through immigration smuggling as well as through natural increase and are getting control of much land. In 1919 the acres under Jap control in California numbered 427,000 and the crops upon these acres were valued at $67.000.000.

July 30 was the 301st anniversary of the first representative assembly in America—the House of Burgesses elected by the free colonists of Virginia. The Jamestown colony was 13 years old and had enjoyed representative government for a little over a year when the Mayflower landed at Plymouth Rock in 1620.

JAP WARES.

Keep out the Japs but let Jap goods come in free, is the policy of the Democratic party. What judgement will you pass upon that judgement when you mark your ballot in November?

The Socialists of Spain have begun a campaign for the suppression of bull fighting. They may succeed in the doubtful time when vine-growing France abolishes wine or when other unexpected and seemingly impossible developments are recorded.

The National Dry Goods Association figures that the average cost of delivering a package from a store to a customer is 12 cents. Of course the customer pays for this "free" delivery in the price he is charged for goods.

There are critics of the literary style of both the Presidential nominees. but the people are willing to forgive lack of style in the candidate who really says something and makes his meaning clear.

Ohio papers still speak of their state as "the mother of Presidents." although they have been reminded that Virginia has had eight Presidents to Ohio's six—soon to be seven.

While talking to a caller one day I was annoyed by the interruption of my four-year-old daughter who was trying to tell something exciting. I reminded her that it was impolite to interrupt me and went on with my story. When I had finished I turned to her, saying: "Now, Louise, what did you want to tell me?" She answered disconsolately: "I've lost my gag now."—Exchange.

Queer Idea of Beauty.

Beauty makes use of strange ways for adornment in some lands. Many Japanese women adopt the singular habit of gilding their teeth. In some sections of India part of the teeth must be dyed black before a woman is thought beautiful. The Hottentot women paint the entire body in patches of red and black. In Greenland the women color the face blue and yellow.

Furniture Oil.

To renovate scratched furniture, mix together in a bottle equal quantities of the best salad oil and vinegar. Shake vigorously, then it is ready to use. Take a small pad or soft rag, dip it into the solution and rub well into the wood until all scratches have disappeared. Then polish with another soft rag. You will be delighted with the result.

Miss Josephine Herman returned to her home Sunday at Herminie, Pa., after spending a week at the home of her brother John Herman of Lookout avenue. She was accompanied by Miss Mary Hough who will spend a two-weeks' vacation at her home.

Your Fall Suit or Coat and the Printzess Label

PRINTZESS designers have repeatedly created new styles of surpassing charm and their models for Fall are no exception to the rule. Full of surprises, these PRINTZESS coats and suits are lovely innovations of fashion for the woman who seeks "Distinction in Dress" always characteristic of this line.

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Wanted to Remain Awhile.

Betty was looking rather poorly after several weeks' illness. Aunt Edith, who had not seen her since she was a tiny baby, after kissing her, turned to her mother and said, rather thoughtlessly: "My, how thin she is! She looks as if a whiff of wind would blow her away." This must have worried Betty all day, for that night when she had finished all the customary "God blesses" in her prayer she added this earnest postscript: "And, please God, make me thicker, for I don't want to be blowed away."

Exit Humorist.

While making a tour of the southern states, we were driving along a country road, when a farmer came walking toward us. One of our crowd, a humorist, thinking he would have some fun with the man, stopped the car, and taking a small satchel and a magazine, gave a ten-minute impression of Billy Sunday. When he had finished, the man looked at him a little queerly, put his hand in his pocket and gave him a card. On it were the words: "I am deaf."—Exchange.

Traveling With the Turkeys.

Processions of all kinds are to be found in the streets of Stamboul and with no traffic regulations it is difficult to make much headway. In "The Daily Pageant of Stamboul" in Travel Miss Lucy Garnett finds herself in mixed society. "In company with a large drove of turkeys, we take our way along the broad straight street, lined on either hand with shops. . . . Presently the turkeys get into difficulties with a file of camels bearing on their Atlaslike shoulders piles of bedding and curiously decorated chests and coffers. * * * These bales and chests constitute the wedding trousseaus and 'plenishing' of a Turkish bride." The turkeys are soon remarshaled to be dispersed many times before they are finally landed safely near the great mosque where they are to be sold in celebration of a Moslem festival.

"Occupants" of the Moon.

There are any number of versions of moon occupants. And every so often a moon "hoax" is sprung on the people, the sentiment in the average makeup delighting in foolish mysteries about the fair planet. Another reason for the man being in the moon is that he stole wood on Sunday. He was allowed to choose between the sun and the moon as his future abode. Choosing the moon he was provided a faggot set on fire to keep him from freezing to death. Another tale is that a poor woman knocked at the door of a rich man and begged for food for her child. He refused, whereat she wished that he would be consigned to the coldest place in existence. He was banished to the moon.

A New Cat Remedy.

"To keep cats off the seed beds," says Home Chat, "bury a small bottle up to the neck and fill it with liquid ammonia." The old practice of burying the cat up to the neck in the seed bedding and keeping the ammonia for subsequent use is considered obsolete.—Punch, London.

Well to Know the Worst.

Thirty thousand years ago, says a weekly journal, the seas around England were at a higher level than at present. It is difficult to know what can be done about it, but it is just as well that the matter should be mentioned.—London Punch.

The Reform of Oneself.

To reform a world, to reform a nation, no wise man will undertake: and all but foolish men know, that the only solid, though a far slower reformation, is what each begins and perfects on himself.—Thomas Carlyle.

HEALTH SCHOOL

Pennsylvania State Department of Health.

Questions.

1. What are the early signs of Scarlet Fever?
2. How is the disease spread?
3. How may the spread be prevented?

A LETTER FROM A SCHOOL TEACHER TO HER FRIEND

Dear Elizabeth:

I wrote you last Friday that we have scarlet fever in G—ville. This morning, Dorothy Bell, who had been absent since last Thursday, came to school. She said she had sore throat on Friday, but was all right now. Knowing sore throat to be one of the early symptoms of scarlet fever and that a mild case may clear up in a day or two, I sent her home.

In the afternoon she came back with a hostile mother who said her child had an upset stomach, was not sick enough to need a Doctor, had a perfect right to be at school, and that none of the cases in town were scarlet fever. They were only scarlet rash.

I do not have time to tell you everything she said, nor will I weary you with the things I said, I am still going over choice expressions which I might have used; and I presume Mrs. Bell is doing the same. But Dorothy went home.

The Principle has directed our school nurse, Miss Penny, to further investigate the case.

GRACE.

Report of investigation of case of Dorothy Bell:

"On Thursday, 12th, Dorothy had a headache and was feverish. She was given a hot bath, a dose of castor oil and was put to bed. Friday morning she had a sore throat, and was quite red, but not confined to bed. Saturday the sore throat was better and the redness almost gone. On Monday she was sent to school. No physician in attendance.

"On questioning Dorothy it developed that on the Saturday previous she and Susie Brown had gone to play with Amy Smith. Amy was not allowed to go out because she had a slight sore throat. The children played with dolls for some time. Dorothy thought about an hour.

"A visit to the Smith home verified Dorothy's statement. Amy had been "off her feed," as Mrs. Smith expressed it, for several days, but was then all right; no physician.

"Saturday, 14th, Susie Brown had vomiting and sore throat, shortly followed by bright scarlet colored rash. Dr. Thomas was called and pronounced it scarlet fever. The house is under quarantine. I have reported the cases of Dorothy Bell and Amy Smith to the Health Authorities.

"JULIA PENNY, School Nurse."

Extract from Ma—ton Press:

"The result of the recent investigation of the source of our epidemic of scarlet fever, by Representatives of the Department of Health, emphasizes the necessity for the education of the lay public in the means of prevention of communicable disease.

"The original case in Ma—ton epidemic occurred in the home of J. J. Brown. Two months ago Susie Brown, of G—ville, the niece of J. J. Brown, of this place, died from scarlet fever. After her death the house was disinfected; but not some toys which had been removed by a well-meaning neighbor. Later these toys were sent to J. J. Brown for his children. Five days after their arrival, Charles Brown developed scarlet fever. Three weeks later scarlet fever placards were on thirty-five houses of the town.

"All citizens are hereby warned that scarlet fever may be carried by objects which have been handled or worn by patients and have not been disinfected. The disease may also be conveyed by domestic animals. Dogs or cats should never be allowed in the sick room. There were 11,326 cases of scarlet fever in Pennsylvania in 1919. 253 died.

"Scarlet fever is a disease of childhood, rarely occurs before the sixth month, most people over ten years old do not get it. It is most transmissible in its early stages.

"It begins with headache, fever, rapid pulse and sore throat, followed shortly by a red rash; after some days of peeling of the skin. Mild cases may transmit to others a fatal form of the disease. It is transmissible by coughing in a close room or talking or laughing in the face of one susceptible to it; by hands or by objects handled.

"Inflammation of the ear, leading to deafness, and of the kidneys, which may be permanently crippling, are common.

"Its spread may be prevented by early recognition and prompt quarantine. The minimum quarantine period is thirty days. Longer if there be running ears.

"Those responsible for children are required by law to report sore throat and rash when not attended by a Doctor.

"No child who is even a little sick should be sent to school or if sent should be kept in school till he has been seen by a doctor."

Death's "Pale Horse."

Scandinavian peasants firmly believe in a "pale horse," which, when a man is about to die, comes and stands before the door of his house—white, shadowy and ghostly in the night. When his last breath has been drawn he must perforce mount the spectral steed and ride away.

Wonderful St. Anthony.

St. Anthony was the saint who could never be tempted. He was particularly immune from the blandishments of women. Usually when a man is referred to as a "modern St. Anthony" it is meant that he doesn't care about women.

Butter Queen of Fats.

Butter is better than many other common fats, particularly for little children. It has no higher fuel value than the other fats, but it contains an abundance of a substance necessary for growth.

Daily Thought.

One of the best methods of rendering study agreeable is to live with able men, and to suffer all those pangs of inferiority which the want of knowledge always inflicts.—Sydney Smith.

Daily Thought.

As turning the logs will make a dull fire burn, so changes of studies, a dull brain.—Longfellow.

Eagles Fly High.

Eagles have been known to fly to a height of 6,000 feet.

Optimistic Thought.

Rule your temper and temper your tongue.

CHICHESTER S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter S Diamond Brand Pills, & Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of Your Druggists. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 35 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable

FOR SALE

Rural Home, two miles from four good towns, good nine room house, gas for lights, heating and cooking, well water and cistern water. Hot and cold water in bath room, right at street car stop, good stable and chicken house, about 1½ acres.

4 rooms Prospect $2100
3 rooms Shady Ave.....$3100
2 lots Lincoln Avenue, each....$2800
2 lots Prospect Ave.....$1000
10 roomed house and two lots Prospect Ave. $5000
6 room house and 4 room house Followfield Ave. $6500
Two houses Oakland Ave. $4500
5 rooms Ninth street.....$3600
4 rooms Maple Creek.....$2600
3 lots Maple Creek, each.....$ 300

FOR SALE—One good coal stove.
FOR RENT—Rear of store room and cellar.

A. L. DUBINSKY,
407 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

Week End Specials

Fancy Head Rice, lb. 12c
Pure Tomato Catsup, bottle - - 10c
Fruit Jars, doz. - 85c
Stevenson's Bread, Loaf - - 15c

MARKOWITZ,
Corner Ninth and Meadow Avenue.

A Bargain?

Judge for Yourself
Only $1.500.00 Down
Balance in Small Payments
An easy way to own a home you will be proud of.
One that positively can not be built today for doubled am't asked
Ideal Location, Lock No. 4
Possession Immediately
House has—5 large rooms, bath, water, gas, electric, cement cellar and walks, large pantry and porches, newly papered, just painted.
3 minutes walk to car line

Price, $3,800

Clyde B. Cope,
Real Estate & Insurance
315 McKean Ave.,
Charleroi, Pa.

CHIROPRACTOR
M. D. Greenfield, D. C.
210 Might Building,
Charleroi, Pa.
Bell Phone 98-W

Advance Sale of Fall Suits

At Advantageously Low Prices

The suits displayed in this sale are the result of weeks of careful buying, every one of them offering values that cannot be duplicated later. In some the savings are in the cloths that the makers owned below ruling market quotations; in others the savings are in silk linings and fur trimmings bought before the market reached its peak.

All Are New 1920-21 Styles

tallying in detail with advices from paris and London and with the recent approvals of the New York Garment Exposition. The materials embrace tricotines, silvertones, serges, velours-de-laine, poplins, etc., tailored with exceptional skill—in a word, garments of character and distinction.

Note Especially the Suits at

$39.50, $49.50, $59.50, $69.50, $79.50, $89.50

everyone a splendid value because we divide our buying gains with you for quick selling rather than hold them for the busy season in expectation of regular profit.

We would urge you to make an early selection as the styles are set and the fabrics are of the very best character as well as of the finest workmanship. There is every reason for you to make an early selection.

We bank our reputation on the character of this merchandise and the prices at which we have offered you for this early selling. We have marked this merchandise at very low figures thereby hoping for rapid sale.

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON

Charleroi's Busy Store

FAYETTE COUNTY IS PUSHING REGISTRATION

To expedite matters for the women voters of the county the commissioners of Fayette county have empowered the assessors and registrar assessors in conjunction with the various tax collectors of the county to receive taxes and give receipts for the same to all women who may desire to pay the tax.

The commissioners have mailed notices to all assessors and registrar assessors of the county to report at the office of the commissioners immediately to receive instructions in the registration and assessment of the women voters. As there is but eight days time in which to make the canvass the assessors have been urged to report promptly.

Alert to the unprecedented conditions arising from the enfranchisement of women, the commissioners have speeded up preparations for the enrollment and registration of the women, and as soon as the opinion of the attorney general was handed down the work was begun. Fayette county will make an endeavor to complete the work of registration within the prescribed time.

JUSTICE IMPOSES FINES ON TRUCK DRIVERS

On charges preferred by members of the state police three truck drivers of the Brownsville plant of the Hagan ice cream company and one driver of the Thornton Ice Cream company, also of Brownsville were arraigned before Justice Caletts last Saturday morning, for operating motor vehicles without displaying license tags. They were also charged with not having lights on their cars. The drivers were let off with a fine and instructed to make application immediately for license tags.

MONESSEN BAND RETURNS THIS EVENING

The Louhi band of Monessen, which has been touring the principal cities of Finland for several months past, arrived in New York on Saturday on the steamer Aquitania. They gave concerts in the metropolis on Saturday and Sunday and are expected to arrive in Monessen tonight on the "Bummer." A reception is being prepared for the returning musicians, who made such a decided hit while abroad.

Advertise your wants in the Classified column of The Mail.

This bird, which is sometimes called the "fly-up-the-creek," is about one and a half feet long and is common throughout the United States and Canada. It feeds mostly on fish, frogs and other aquatic animals, and may be seen, particularly in the morning and in the evening, standing patiently motionless in some shallow water, waiting till prey comes within reach.

Difference in Time.

In reply to our observation that he and his son and namesake resembled each other greatly old Bill Sykes said: "The main difference 'twixt me an' young Bill is, when I put in a day at work I don't feel much like runnin' 'round at nights; and when young Bill puts in a night runnin' 'round he don't feel much like workin' next day."—Topeka Capital.

The Cone of Our Pine.

So hard is the cone of a pine in our western forests that the imprisoned seeds cannot be propagated in the ordinary way. The best way is to burn the cone over a hot fire until it bursts, when the seeds escape. When forest fires sweep the country these pine cones have their chance, and from them new trees grow.

Fear Not to Reform.

Confucius says, if the superior man is not grave in his conduct, he will not be respected, nor will his learning be solid. Be ruled by fidelity and sincerity. Have not a friend inferior to yourself. If you err, fear not to reform.—Chinese Classics, translated by Rev. David Collie.

Important Anniversary.

April 24 is the anniversary of the appearance in 1704, of the first continuous newspaper in America, the News Letter, of Boston. Since that time the development of the newspaper has been one of the potent factors in the rapid advance of the country's prosperity.

Avocado Rich in Fat.

The avocado or alligator pear contains as much nutritious fat as does ordinary cream, sometimes as high as 20 per cent. As it contains little starch or sugar, it might prove valuable in the diet of diabetics if it did not cost so much.

Paper Manufactured From Wood.

The chief raw materials from which paper is made are spruce, hemlock, poplar and pine woods, rags, straw and old paper. Three-fourths of the entire output is manufactured from wood pulp.

POTATOES

Fancy White

45c

Per 15 pound peck

Aug. Mahieu,

PURVEYOR TO THE PEOPLE

620 Fallowfield Avenue, 301 Crest Avenue,
700 Ninth Street, 419 Fallowfield Avenue.,
Fourth Street, Lock View, Pa.

WAGNERS PURCHASE ICE CREAM PLANT

The Wagner Ice Cream company composed of James, Lloyd and Frank Wagner, is preparing to go into the manufacture of ice cream on a greater scale than ever. A few days ago they purchased the manufacturing and wholesale plant of J. S. Orange, located in the old borough building on Fallowfield avenue, the sale including all the appliances and trucks that Mr. Orange had installed for the purpose of carrying on this business.

It is supposed of the Wagner company to utilize at once the facilities and equipment of the former Orange plant in the manufacture of ice cream, retaining their old equipment in the Wagner building for emergency purposes. In this way they will be able to handle a larger volume of business, as, should one plant be insufficient to meet the demands made upon them, they will have the other one to assist in taking care of the trade.

The young men composing the Wagner Ice Cream company are active and energetic business men, and during the comparatively short time in which they have been in business have built up a large trade, not only in Charleroi but in the surrounding towns.

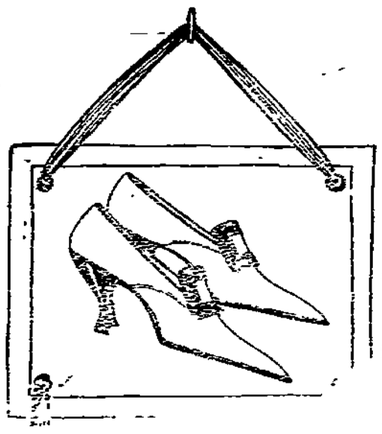
SUPPOSED SUICIDE BY DROWNING IN RIVER

Daniel West, aged about 32 years, a former resident of Naomi, is supposed to have committed suicide by drowning in the Monongahela river, possibly last Thursday. His body was found floating in the river a short distance below Naomi Sunday afternoon about 3 o'clock. West, whose mind is said to have been considerably affected during the past few years, wandered away from home last Thursday and nothing more was heard of him until his body was found in the river. He is survived by his wife.

Use the Classified Column

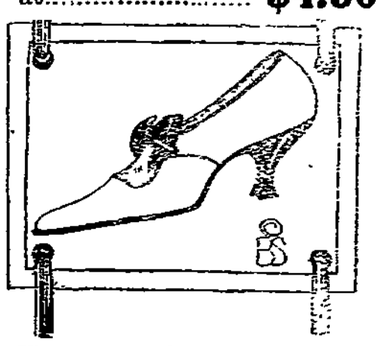
Claybaugh & Milliken

"Successful Thru Service"



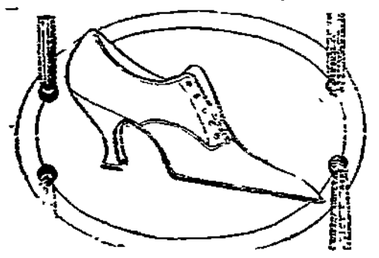
The above cut shows a White Cloth Colonial Pump, Turn Sole, Covered Wood Heel with neat buckle which we are pricing.

Special at..... **$4.50**



The style shown here in a White Cloth Tie is the Newest, which we have in High French Heel or the straight Cuban heel. The season's smartest White Low Shoe.

Special at..... **$6.00**



The pattern shown here is a White Cloth Oxford, Light Weight Sole, Covered Heel. A very neat style which fits snug around top, giving the ankle more support.

Special at..... **$4.50**

CLAYBAUGH - MILLIKEN

"REAL SHOE MEN"

Charleroi, Pa.

North Charleroi

Miss Hettie Davis, and Mrs. Alice Jones of Johnstown, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crothers and daughter Enid, Mrs. Floyd Grover of Beaver Falls and Fred Grover of Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. Charles Snyder of Belle Vernon were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Faulks.

Mr. Lawrence Lowstutter has returned from a business trip in Cadillac, Mich., and Greensboro.

Miss Celine Hagherty spent the week-end with friends in Dravosburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Hagherty and nieces Miss Lenore Curtis and Miss Virginia Hagherty spent Sunday with friends in Waltersburg.

Clyde Flanniken spent the week-end with his parents of near Whitley.

Mrs. N. Hawthorne of Cleveland was a guest on Saturday of Mrs. Hiram Faulks.

Miss Elizabeth Hogan and Miss Goldie Kibler are among the teachers attending institute at Washington this week.

John Lowstutter has returned to his home in Jeaneatte after visiting here with his brothers.

William Cocain of Braddock visited his brother Thomas Cocain on Saturday.

Mrs. William Mobley and children have returned from a few days visit with relatives in Waynesburg. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Mobley's nieces who will visit here for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sharpnack and Mrs. Rumble have returned to their home in Greensboro after spending a few days here.

William Lowstutter has returned from a vacation spent in Atlantic City and Philadelphia.

Mrs. Conn Buchannan and children Tom and Conn of New Orleans, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. eGorge Hornbake, also visiting friends in Charleroi.

Miss Elizabeth Jarvis spent Sunday with friends in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Frese and children spent Sunday with friends in Donora.

Miss Alfreda Vanderslice of Monongahela was the guest of Miss Elizabeth Hogan recently.

Mrs. Thomas Sharpnack and children are spending a vacation with relatives in Rices Landing.

Mrs. George Wilding and baby of Belle Vernon were visiting with Mrs. George Dennis.

PRODUCTION OF COAL REACHES THE 1920 PEAK

Production of bituminous coal reached the 1920 peak during the week ending August 14, when the miners turned out 11,278,000 net tons. The Geological Survey in making this announcement, also made public figures showing production of bituminous coal since last January to total 324,977 tons, which is 48,250,000 tons greater than the 1919 production at the same date.

TEMPLARS ATTEND FUNERAL OF A DECEASED MEMBER

McKean Commandery, No. 80, Knights Templar, went by special street car to Monongahela, Sunday afternoon, where they attended the funeral of John L. McVicker, who died last Friday morning. The Knights were in charge of the services and conducted the full Templar rites. Many friends of the deceased from along the valley and throughout the county were present.

U. S. ENGINEER ON TOUR OF INSPECTION

Lt. Col. Otwell, United States Engineer in charge of the river improvements in the Pittsburgh district, accompanied by his wife and two daughters, were at Lock No. 4 on Thursday. Col Otwell was on a tour of inspection, which will take him as far as Lock No. 6. He expressed himself as being much pleased with conditions at the local lock.

MANY VACANCIES IN TEACHING FORCE

County Superintendent L. R. Crumrine states that there are many vacancies in the teaching force of a number of the school districts of Washington county. Directors of Hanover township report three; Jefferson three; Chartiers, four; Morris, one; West Bethlehem, three; Long Branch, two; East Pike Run, one; West Pike Run, two; Ellsworth, four.

FOR SALE

Chalmers, late 1920 demonstrator, factory guaranteed.

Central Garage,
Belle Vernon.

67-t6

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Steinbaugh, daughter Fehr and son Byron left on Sunday for Atlantic City, where they will spend their vacation.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Five rooms. McKean avenue. A good buy. See A. L. Dubinsky, 407 Fallowfield avenue. 49-tf

FOR SALE—Five rooms, cemented cellar and one acre of ground near Charleroi. See A. L. Dubinsky. 51tf

FOR SALE—Ford coupe, only used six weeks. Practically new. Inquire 372 Mail office.

FOR SALE Overland car 83-B 1916 Model. Good condition. Write I. Johnson, Lock No. 4, Pa. 59-t5

FOR SALE—A new bungalow. Inquire after 7 p. m. 398 Ookland avenue. Charleroi. 61-t6

FOR SALE—Ree Truck, good condition. Cash $600. Inquire Thomas Keener, Lock No. 4. 65-t5-p

FOR SALE—Red cow. Will be fresh Feb. Gives 2 1-2 gallon milk. Cash $85.00. Inquire Wilson's farm Lock No. 4. 63-t6-p.

FOR SALE—Girls' bicycle, in good shape. Further information call at 222 Fallowfield avenue, or 129-M, Bell Phone, Charleroi, Pa. 67-t3-p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping. 212 Washington avenue. 63-t5p

FOR RENT—Room. Inquire 142 Fallowfield avenue. 67-t1-p

WANTED—To buy a residence on Washington or Lincoln avenue. Will pay as high as $20,000.00, for suitable place. See Clyde B. Cope 315 McKean avenue. 56tf

WANTED—Experienced sales ladies for Ready-To-Wear department. Inquire Roth's, 422 Fallowfield avenue. 57-tf

WANTED—Middle-aged woman to act as house keeper and take care of three children. Apply J. E. Dillon, 109 Fallowfield Ave. Charleroi, Pa. 62-t3-p

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Miller's Fashion Shop, 528 Fallowfield avenue. 62-tf.

WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. At once. Apply Mgr. A. & P. Store, Fallowfield avenue, near 7th street. 66-t2-p.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Victoria Hotel, Monessen, Pa. 67-tf

WANTED—Boy for store work. Must be willing to work and be steady. Over 16 years old. L. Collins. 67-tf.

WANTED—General repair carpenter and concrete work. Roof painting. Inquire 382 Mail office 67-t6p

LOST—Gentleman's ring. Large red stone with two small diamonds. Liberal reward if returned to 371 Mail office. 14-t3p

LOST—A hind wheel of a bicycle on Maple creek road between Smith stop and Charleroi. Reward if returned to L. J. Robertson company, McKean avenue. 64-t4-p

LOST—Tan pocketbook containing motorcycle license card, a pass to New York on P. R. R. and money. Finder kindly return same to address in pocketbook or Albright's Cycle Store. Finder can keep money when returning pocket book. 671t2

ONE MAN SHOT IN RIOT AT NEWELL

During a riot at Newell last Thursday evening, between strikers and railroad men, Constable Wellington of that place was shot through the right arm. Calls were sent for assistance to the neighboring towns about 9 o'clock, and officers were immediately rushed to the scene. There has been frequent trouble in the Newell yards since last winter, when what the men on strike call a "walkout" was staged. It is expected there will be several arrests as a result of the disturbance.

LITTLE GIRL DEAD AS RESULT OF BURNS

Rosi Bonini, aged 6 years, daughter of Peter Bonini, of Monessen, died Saturday evening last as the result of burns. The little girl was ironing at the time, when her clothing caught fire. Before help could reach her the clothing was burned completely from her body, she died about an hour later.

FOR SALE

Ford 1-ton worm drive truck.
Overland coupe.
Dodge 1918 Touring car.
Central Garage,
Belle, Vernon, Pa.

67-t6

HEALTH BULLETIN

Pennsylvania State Department of Health

Questions.

1. What are Koplik spots?
2. What do they signify?
3. How may the spread of measles be prevented?

MEASLES

Six more cases of measles are reported today. The School Board is considering the advisibility of closing the schools.

Mrs. English laid down the newspaper and rubbed her glasses.

"The idea," she said, "close the schools for measles. Measles is natural for children, and the sooner they have 'em and be over with 'em, the better. I tell mothers to take their youngsters where measles is, so they can ketch 'em."

Was Mrs. English right?

She did not know that during the past five years 3870 Pennsylvania children died from measles; an annual average of 774.

During the same period, scarlet fever claimed less than half this number.

Mrs. English knew measles when she saw or smelled it; fever, headache, red watery eyes, sneezing, dry cough, later followed by the measles rash of irregularly shaped bright red spots, which disappear by the seventh or eighth day; that was all.

She also knew measles was "ketchin'."

One day when she "just dropped in" at the Carson's, she saw Dr. Johnson examining the inside of little Freddie's cheek. Dr. Johnson was her good friend, she baked the best mince pies in Blacksburg. This was in the old-time days, before January 17, when all good mince pies had a ting, so he said: "Come here, Mrs. English, I want to show you something This can be seen only in strong daylight."

Then the Doctor proceeded to press his finger into Freddie's cheek until he had turned the inner side of it into plain view. "Look closely at the bright red spots on the lining of the cheek and you will see in the center of each a tiny bluish-white, glistening dot. These are called Koplik's spots. Whenever you find them you may be sure that measles will develop in from one to three days."

They were hard to see, but Mrs. English had good spectacles and she made them out quite plainly.

When Mrs. English came home that day she found her little grandson, Edgar, dull, feverish, with running nose and red eyes. In five minutes, Edgar, in Grandma's lap, before the strong light at the front window, was making vigorous protest as his cheek was turned wrong side out. The little shiny Koplik spots were there.

Edgar was not getting well at the end of a week. Bronchopneumonia, a common complication, set in.

He was not well at the end of one, of two, of three months He stayed thin and weak.

The Doctor came one day and, as the little patient sat propped up in the big chair on the front porch, he tapped his chest and listened with the stethescope. He told Edgar funny stories and laughed, but there was no laughter in the Doctor's heart.

Tuberculosis, a common sequel of measles, was present and rapidly progressing.

Mrs. English no longer advises mothers "to take their children where measles is."

There were 34,009 cases of measles reported in Pennsylvania in 1917; there were many unreported cases. Out of every 65 cases reported one died; mostly those under two years.

Measles is most transmissible in the beginning period before the rash comes out, when the eyes are red, the nose running and the child is feverish and coughs. It is carried by coughing in a close room, by the hands, possibly by handkerchiefs, pencils, towels, drinking cups, etc. It's spread can be lessened by early recognition and prompt quarantine.

The law requires that measles be reported. When no doctor is called those responsible for the care of children are required to report all cases of sore throat, rash or persistent cough; the law further requires that school children suffering from fever or sore throat be sent home. When measles is reported it is quarantined for a minimum period of sixteen days. No child is allowed to come to school from a measles home till the quarantine is lifted.

Quarantine means that no one but the Doctor or the Nurse shall enter a room occupied by a measles patient, or touch anything which such a patient has touched till it has been sterilized.

When a measles child is sent home the school is dismissed only for such period as is needful to accomplish a thorough cleaning and airing of the room. The children's parents are cautioned not to send them to school if they are droopy; and every child is each morning carefully inspected for red eyes, running nopes, sore throat, cough, or better still, lack of pep, which usually precedes the more pronounced symptoms which denote that the contagious stage has been reached. Consumption is a common sequel of measles, it occurs only in [illegible] have already had the [illegible] implanted in their [illegible] been exposed is [illegible] weakened.

Auditors' Report of School District.

The Auditors appointed by the court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pennsylvania, to audit the accounts of the School District of the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920 filed their report in the Prothonotary's office on the 9th day of August 1920, and notice is hereby given that the same will be confirmed absolutely unless an appeal is taken therefrom within thirty (30) days after the filing thereof, and further that the following is a concise summary or statement of the same, including the assets and liabilities of the District, to wit:

July 1st, 1919 Cash in Treasury			$ 395.57
—1914 Taxes—			
July 1st, 1919—Uncollected		231.46	
Uncollected July 1st, 1920	231.46		
—1915 Taxes—			
July 1st, 1919—Uncollected		1,068.00	
Uncollected July 1st, 1920	1,068.00		
—1916 Taxes—			
July 1st, 1919—Uncollected		1,202.34	
Collections	35.70		35.70
Uncollected July 1st, 1920	1,166.64		
—1917 Taxes			
July 1st, 1919—Uncollected		530.73	
Collections	20.55		20.55
Uncollected July 1st, 1920	510.18		
—1918 Taxes—			
July 1st, 1919—Uncollected		143.90	
Error Chas. Balmer		.10	
Surcharge 1918 Audit		26.31	
Collections	169.01		
Refund to Tax Collector for Duplicate Collections	14.57		
Exonerations	6.30		154.44
—1919 Taxes—			
Face of Duplicate		82,587.50	
Added to Duplicate		1,052.10	
Collections		81,337.33	81,337.33
Exonerations	1,882.24		
Uncollected—July 1st. 1920	420.03		
Tax Liens Collected			100.47
Tuition			9,921.30
State Appropriation			14,299.00
Loans			43,496.80
Justice of Peace Fines			50.77
Rents			166.00
Bond Issue of 1920			24,100.00
Miscellaneous			329.50
			174,407.43
EXPENDITURES			
Teachers' Salaries		67,768.93	
Bonds Paid—1904		1,000.00	
Interest on Bonds		4,635.00	
Loans and Interest		52,731.91	
Institute		1,270.00	
Tax Collector's Commissions		1,843.81	
Taxes Refunded		15.88	
Printing and Telephone		891.08	
Fuel, Light, Water and Power		3,950.12	
Janitors' and Other Salaries		10,663.40	
Text Books		2,332.38	
General Supplies		5,265.30	
Repairs and Furnishings		8,593.36	
Transfered to Sinking Fund No. 1		1,796.50	
Insurance		3,236.92	
Miscellaneous		1,134.39	
Medical Inspection		473..60	
State School Retirement Fund		401.82	
		168,003.90	
July 1st. 1920—Balance in Treasury		6,403.53	174,407.43
RESOURCES			
Cash in Treasury		6,403.53	
Tax Liens		184.36	
Taxes Uncollected		3,396.31	
Due from Fred W. Brady, Tax Collector		2.00	
Overcharge Teacher's Salaries		.03	
Tuition Uncollected		5,912.46	
Text Books and Supplies		8,500.00	
Real Estate. Buildings & Furnishings		367,410.30	
Due from R. J. Whitehead. (Justice of the Peace.)		5.00	391.813.99
LIABILITIES			
Demand Loans		20,000.00	
Bonds—1904		26,000.00	
Bonds—1906		5,000.00	
Bonds—1907		17,000.00	
Bonds—1912		62,000.00	
Bonds—1916		26,000.00	
Bonds—1920		24,000.00	
Due Secretary		7.00	
Due Supt. of Schools		3.00	
Present Worth		211.803.99	391.813.99
Sinking Fund No. 1			
July 1st, 1919—Balance		2,578.00	
Oct. 8th. 1919—From General Fund		1.796.50	
Jan. 1st, 1920—Interest		20.82	
June 1st, 1920—Interest		10.84	
July 1st, 1920—Interest		35.40	
Dec. 1st, 1919—Interest		10.62	
		4,452.18	
PAYMENTS			
Interest on Bonds		1.215.00	
June 30th, 1920—Balance		3,237.18	
		4,452.18	

T R. Eagye,
F. N. Duty,
Auditors.
Harry E. Pollock.
Prothonotary.

Prothonotary's Office,
August 9, 1920.

FINED AND JAILED FOR SELLING BOOZE

The Federal courts seem to have changed their attitude in this district with reference to those who persist in selling booze. In the Federal Court at Pittsburgh on Friday one Bernard Reck, a saloonkeeper, entered a plea of guilty to selling six one-ounce drings of whisky. He was sentenced by the court to pay a fine of $500 and serve 30 days in jail. His attorney made a plea that it was the defendant's first offense, but the court said that "too many of them commit the first offense, and the way to stop it is to make the penalty a jail sentence."

HOPES TO BE BACK IN CHAREROI SOON

Adolph Beigel, a former resident of Charleroi, now visiting in Vienna. Austria, writes friends in Charleroi that he will be glad when he gets back to the dear old U. S. A. He asks to be remembered to the people of Charleroi.

I have several buyers for lots in Charleroi and Lock 4, if you wish to dispose of that lot quick, list with me. Clyde B. Cope, 315 McKean avenue. 56-tf

Use the Classified Column.

TO CLOSE ESTATE FOR SALE TO HIGHEST BIDDER.

3 story brick building, lot 22x103. modern store front, 4 apartments, 515 Donner avenue. Lot No. 343.

3 story brick dwelling lot 22x100. 9 rooms and bath, large porch 165 Doner avenue, Monessen, Pa.

Store and dwelling, lot 22x100, McKean avenue, Donora, Pa. Lot No. 29.

Submit written sealed bid for one or all on or before August 26th, to Cashier, Monessen Savings & Trust Company, Monessen, Pa.

Aug 4-6-10-13-17-20-23-24

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

IN RE ESTATE OF MARY BUBERNAIK, OF THE BOROUGH OF CHARLEROI, DECEASED.

Letters testamentary upon the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all those indebted thereto to make immediate payment and to those having claims or demands to present them for settlement.

Steve Bubernaik, Executor,
Charleroi, Pa.

Hugh E. Fergus, Attorney.
Aug 9-16-23-30 Sept. 6-13.

North Charleroi School District will meet Aug. 27th, 1920 at 7:30 p. m. to receive bids for 2,000 bushels, more or less, of run-mine coal. Half or more of same to be delivered by Oct. 1st.

S. W. Sharpneck,
Secretary
Lock No. 4, Pa.
Aug 21-23-26.

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Miss Hazel Caster is attending the millinery opening in the East.

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Given by the
Ladies Aid Society of
Christ Lutheran Church
Charleroi, Pa.
FRIDAY, AUGUST 27th, 1920
at the home of
MRS. JOHN GILBERT
Fifth Street and Lincoln Avenue
ICE CREAM and CAKE
Beginning 7 o'clock—TICKETS 25c

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"For years I have been unable to eat anything without distress. I suffered with sick headache, sour stomach and liver trouble, and during my busy season I would be compelled to go to bed and stay for days.

"I have had special preparations compounded by my family physician and have consulted other physicians regarding my distressing conditions but without benefit.

"Since taking Reese Formula R-11 I work every day, never lose any time from my crops and am able to eat three hearty meals every day.

"I am Superintendent of Sunday School and have been Steward in our M. E. South Church for twenty-two years, and it has only been since taking your medicine that I am able to attend my church duties with any degree of pleasure and satisfaction. I can also go to my lodge, 'Woodman of the World.'

"I had given up hope of ever being well again, but I can truthfully say that I feel like a new man and am so pleased that I want the world to know of it. Many of my friends have commented on my changed appearance and want to know what I have done. I always tell them I owe my return to health to Reese Formula R-11.

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